

# SUSE Linux Enterprise 11

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# Why Choose SUSE® Linux Enterprise Server 11

## The Business Case for Linux

Reduced hardware and software costs

Outstanding reliability, performance and scalability

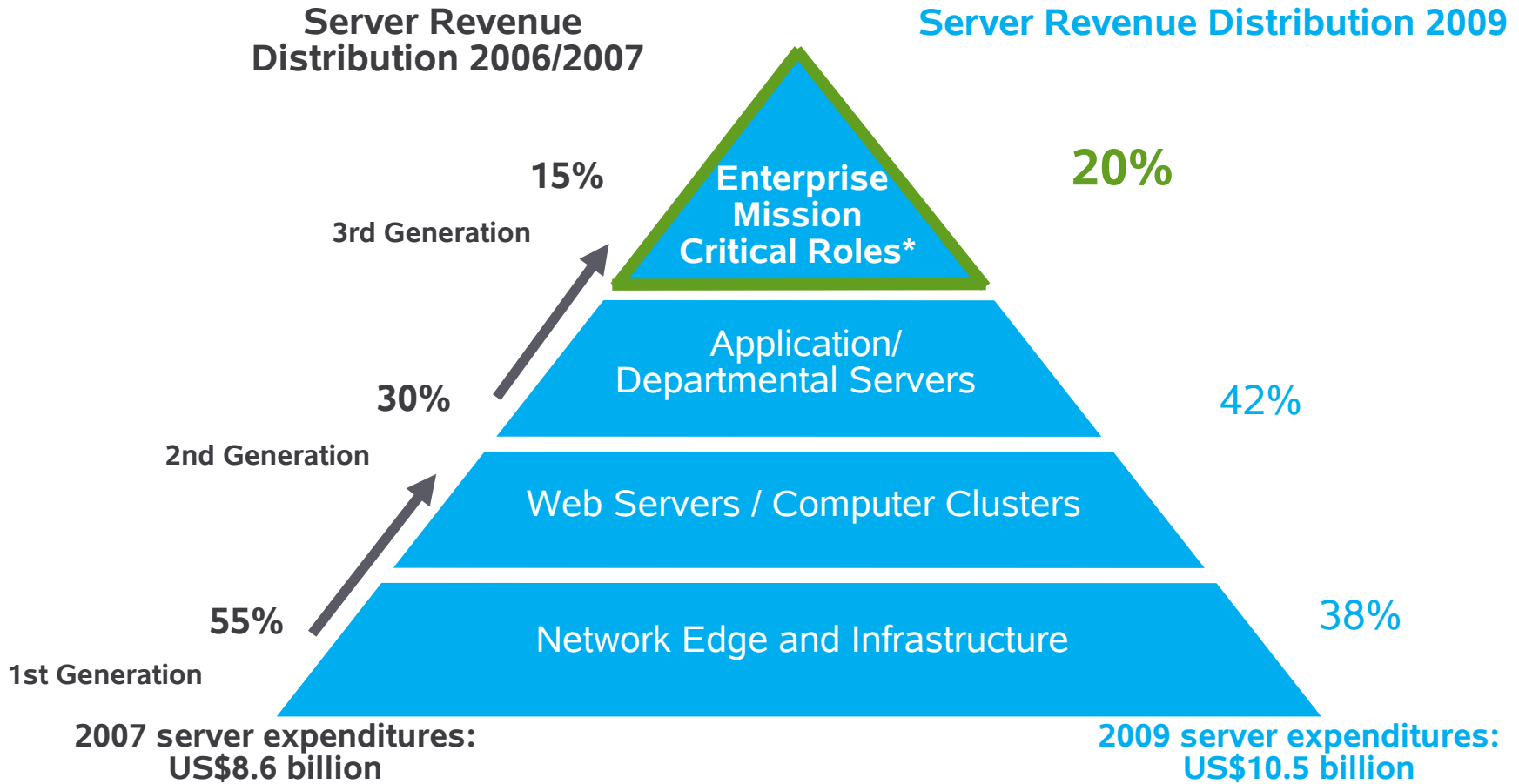
Vendor independence and choice

Enhanced security

Business agility



# Why Choose SUSE® Linux Enterprise Server 11 Linux Has Reached Its 3<sup>rd</sup> Generation

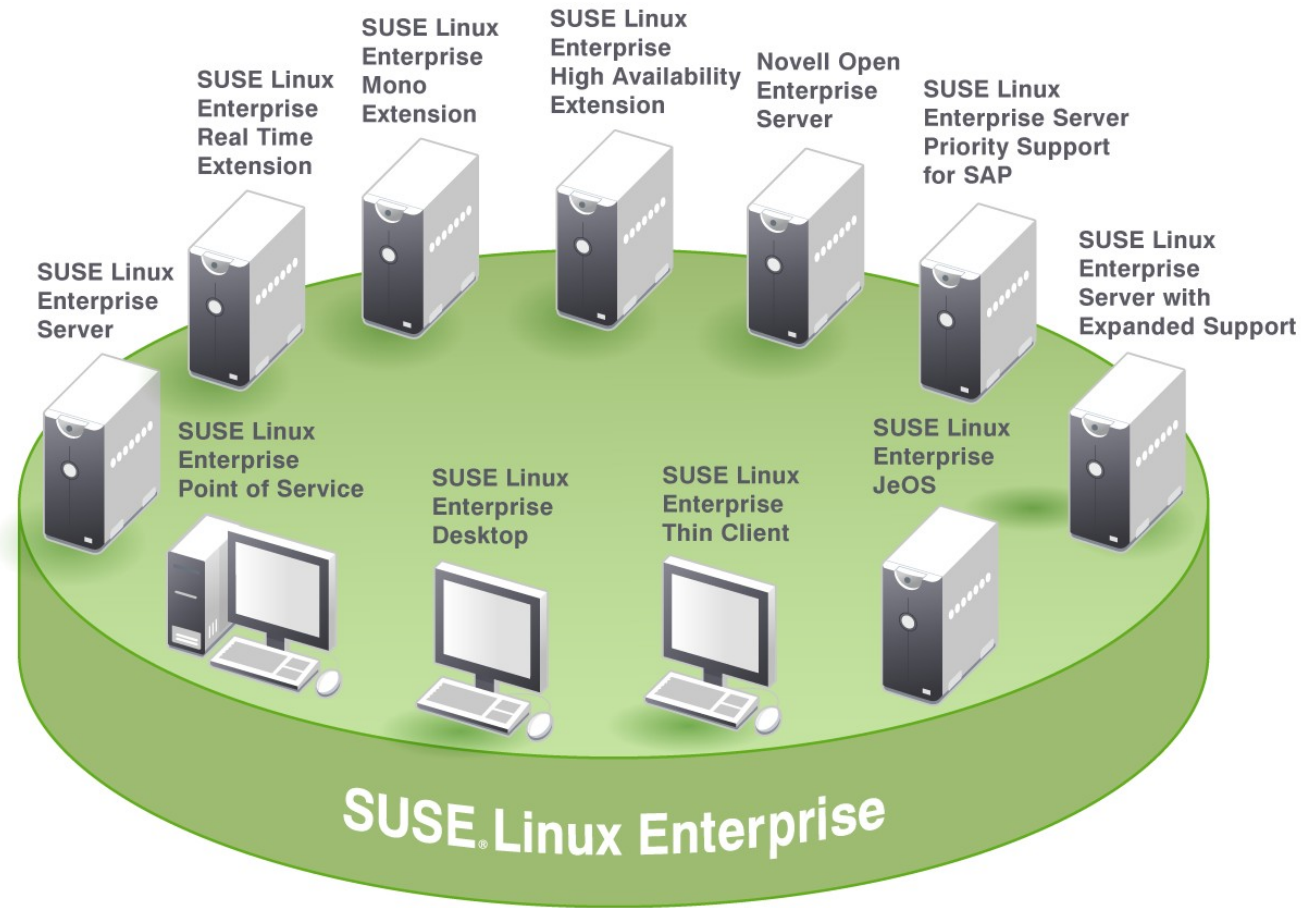


\* Also includes virtualized infrastructures, grids, real-time, SOA, fault-tolerant and massively scalable commerce Web sites

# Agenda

- SUSE Linux Enterprise 11 in a Nutshell
- Mono – Running .NET Applications
- Xen – Enterprise Virtualization
- HA – High Availability & Storage Infrastructure

# Introducing SUSE Linux Enterprise



*The most interoperable platform for mission-critical computing from desktop to data center – physical and virtual*

# Mission-Critical & Ubiquitous Computing

- Performance, reliability, efficiency and world-class support
- SUSE Linux Enterprise 11 delivers mission-critical computing at the lowest cost of ownership
- Market leader for **SAP** on Linux, IBM System z (aka Mainframe) Linux and supercomputing
- Today's IT infrastructure is extremely heterogeneous
- SUSE Linux Enterprise 11 powers your complete environment
  - Desktop to Data Center
  - “Perfect Guest” OS for VMware, Xen, Hyper-V
  - Appliance-ready OS
  - Large ISV ecosystem
  - Robust end user computing solutions

# SUSE® Linux Enterprise Server 11

## Key Features

### • Integrated Systems Management

- Single server (YaST, Novell Customer Center)
- Multiple server (AutoYaST, Subscription Management Tool, ZENworks® Linux Management, PlateSpin® Orchestrate)
- Fast update stack (ZYpper)
- Novell® Support Link, Support Advisor

### • Reliability, Availability, Serviceability

- Diskless server: Swap over NFS
- Multipath I/O, Network channel bonding
- Control groups, CPUset

### • Cross Platform Virtualization

- Integrated Xen hypervisor
- Optimized as a guest OS for ESX, Hyper-V, and Xen

### • Interoperable with other Platforms

- Cross platform directory integration
- Heterogeneous systems management (e.g. CIM, WS-Man)
- POSIX compliance for interoperability with UNIX

### • Green IT

- Tickless idle
- Granular power profiles

### • Comprehensive Security

- AppArmor application security
- Trusted Platform Module (TPM) support

### • Modular OS and Functional Extensions

- SUSE Linux Enterprise High Availability Extension
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Mono® Extension
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Real Time Extension

### • Scalability and Flexibility

- Supports up to 4096 cores (Itanium) and 512 cores (x86\_64)
- Supports up to 23 TB RAM
- Runs on x86, x86\_64, Itanium, Power and Mainframe processor architectures
- Supports diverse workloads (e.g. third party ISV, Java, .NET)
- Optimized performance on physical and virtual systems

# Mono – Running .NET Applications



# Complete Interoperability for Your Mixed IT Environment

- Heterogeneous data centers are today's reality
- SUSE Linux Enterprise 11 delivers complete Windows interoperability
- Novell and Microsoft are collaborating to deliver cross-platform solutions
- You can even run .NET applications on Linux

**Giving you the lowest-cost and most manageable platform for enterprise computing**

# SUSE Linux Enterprise Mono Extension

- A .NET application framework that allows you to run .NET-based applications on SUSE Linux Enterprise Server
- Key capabilities:
  - Run .NET applications on Linux (including ASP.NET)
  - Mainframe support for .NET applications
  - Performance and scalability advantages over Windows
  - Target Linux from Visual Studio
- Develop anywhere – deploy anywhere
  - Includes a toolchain for Linux
  - Runtime is binary-compatible with .NET on Windows





# Demo

## SUSE Linux Enterprise Mono Extension

# Proof Points for SLE Mono Extension

**.NET on Linux:** Ability to run .NET applications on SLES 11 and host ASP.NET 2.0, ASP.NET AJAX and ASP.NET MVC enabled application on the Apache Web Server

- Improved interoperability of .NET apps with Java and other legacy Linux/UNIX apps on the same system

**Broader Hardware Support:** Support for Mainframe-based server consolidation

**Performance, Scalability and Cost**

- 64-bit support, higher RAM and number of CPU support
- More Cost-effective, no client access license, just support subscription per year
- More secure, not prone to Windows-based viruses

# Xen – Enterprise Virtualization

# SUSE Linux Enterprise Server

## Overview

- Highly reliable, interoperable and manageable server operating system
- Built to power mission-critical workloads in physical and virtual environments
- The natural successor to UNIX, backed by proven services for UNIX migration
- The only Linux recommended by Microsoft and SAP
- Complemented by product extensions that deliver advanced capabilities

# SUSE Linux Enterprise Server

## Xen Virtualization

- Integrated Xen hypervisor provides reliable, high performance virtualization
- Xen 3.3 delivers advanced capabilities
- Lowest cost solution – Host is included with OS, and you get unlimited VMs per system
- Additional management solutions are available
- Supports latest Intel processor and chipset level virtualization advances
  - Intel VT FlexPriority
  - Intel VT FlexMigration
  - Intel VT for Direct I/O



# Cross-platform Virtualization Virtual Machine Guest

- SUSE® Linux Enterprise Server is the “Perfect Guest” operating system for virtual machines
- Optimized for all three major hypervisors
  - VMware ESX
  - Microsoft Hyper-V
  - Xen
- Most attractive VM guest pricing: Unlimited virtual machine guests for the price of a single subscription
- Close partnerships with VMware, Microsoft and the Xen community



# Cross-platform Virtualization Virtual Machine Driver Pack

- Run your virtual services on unmodified Windows and Linux operating systems with near native performance
  - Run them on a wide variety of operating systems
  - Extend the useful life of your custom and legacy applications
  - Run them with the assurance of enterprise support from Novell®
- Device drivers improve communication between the Xen hypervisor and guest operating system, accelerating network and storage I/O
  - Drivers for Windows Server 2008, 2003, 2000, and XP on Xen
  - Drivers for Red Hat Enterprise Linux 4 and 5 on Xen

# Cross-platform Virtualization Operating Systems Supported

## Paravirtual Guest

officially supported on SLES 11:	32 bit	64 bit
SLES 10 SP1		
SLES 10 SP2		
SLES 11		
OES2-NetWare® (SP7)		
OES2-Linux		

## Full Virtual Guest

officially supported on SLES 11:	Paravirtual Drivers	32 bit	64 bit
SLES 9 and 10	yes		
SLES 11	yes		
OES2-Linux	yes		
Windows 2000 Server	yes		
Windows XP	yes		
Windows Server 2003	yes		
Windows Server 2008 (enlightened)	yes		
RHEL 4	yes		
RHEL 5	yes		

\*Windows Paravirtual Drivers are closed source due to Microsoft DDK license restrictions

# Interoperability

## Microsoft Technical Collaboration

- Bi-lateral virtualization with Microsoft
- Cross-platform directory integration
  - Samba
- Heterogeneous systems Management
  - CIM adoption
  - Manage SLES servers alongside Windows servers by Microsoft System Center



# Demo

## Xen Live Migration

# High Availability & Storage Infrastructure

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# SUSE Linux Enterprise High Availability Extension

- An integrated suite of robust open source clustering technologies
- Enterprise-class capabilities with the affordability of open source:
  - Flexible, policy-driven clustering solution
  - Cluster-aware file system and volume manager
  - Continuous data replication
  - User-friendly tools
  - Virtualization-aware



# Demo

## High Availability Failover

# Ecosystem

## The Power of Working As One

**ec-o-sys-tem** (äk'ō-sis'tam) *noun*. A community working together in a common environment considered as a single unit





# Ecosystem Industry's Best Partners



**Solution Providers  
(VADs/VARs)  
and System  
Integrators**



**Training  
Partners**



**Technology  
Partners  
(ISVs/IHVs)**



**Certified SUSE  
Linux Enterprise  
products**

**Microsoft®**

**SAP**

**accenture**

**IBM®**

**DELL™**

**hp**

**AMD**

**intel®**

**lenovo™**

# Customers rely on SUSE® Linux Enterprise Server



# Next steps

- Learn more at [www.novell.com/linux](http://www.novell.com/linux)
- Download an evaluation copy at [www.downloadlinux.com](http://www.downloadlinux.com)

# SUSE Linux Enterprise Desktop

- The market's only enterprise-quality Linux desktop
  - Seamless interoperability with existing systems
  - Dozens of essential productivity applications
  - Easy-to-use, highly secure and “green” desktop experience
  - Flexible and preloaded across wide range of form factors
- New Features
  - Upgrades to key productivity applications
  - Enhanced multimedia capabilities
  - Green IT innovations
  - Nomad remote desktop capabilities
  - Simplified connection management

# SUSE Linux Enterprise JeOS

(“Just enough Operating System”)

- A “bare minimum” configuration of SUSE Linux Enterprise Server that is ideal for virtual appliances
- Key capabilities
  - Easy starting point for creating a custom OS
  - All SUSE Linux Enterprise Server certifications apply
  - Optimized to be the “Perfect Guest” OS across hypervisors
- Complemented by appliance creation and management tools
- Backed by a comprehensive appliance program and partnerships

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